

and found the streets still swarmed with fresh recruits from all parts of the country—the thousands tremendous, as each succeeding delegation comes up with banners and mottoes, music and singing! Thousands are here and tens of thousands are expected. Two magnificent arches are erected on Baltimore street, embellished with evergreens and inscriptions emblazoning the sentiments of the West. "Every store is filled with badges, medals, song books and pictures, and crowds of boys throng the streets with them. Greeley has been here since Saturday." Mr. Graham, Esq., Philip Hone, Charley Stetson with his smiling phiz, and others to tedious to

by the fair ladies, and judging from the number of sporting gentlemen from the south alone, with broad hats and fancy tied cravats, a brisk will be carried on in that line.

The following notice has just been issued.

The members of the respective delegates are requested to appoint a delegate of one from each State to form a committee for the selection of officers and drafting resolutions for the Ratification Convention. The meeting will take place at Union Hall, on Wednesday, at 4 P. M.

and intended to compliment the beautiful girls float about here like angels, but the mildest abuses are done.

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gaining up to Colman's Exchange with music hurrahing "like mad." In front of Barmum's several hundreds gathered in the square, whilst their side of the hotel steps are two minstrel songs. The moon shines out brightly, like golden eagle just from the mint, and the enthusiasm a tremendous. I expect it will be kept up till night. I should have mentioned, John Davis, of Massachusetts, is the most strongly talked of for Vice Presidency.

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Havana.

[Correspondence of the Herald.]

Q *State of Affairs in Cuba—Condition of the Markets—Drought and the Crops—What is to be done?*

A Sir:—

Since my last there has been an increased action in our market, and sugars have improved in consequence of better advices from Europe. Shipowners, however, very reluctantly pay the advanced price, and they have only been obtained by a concession on the part of shipmasters and a decline in freights. We quote ordinary yellows 44 a ctns.,

ary, 6½ a 7½s, fine 7½ a 8½s, superior 9½ a 10½s. The stock on hand is very large, and the mill will exceed last year's some 20,000 or 30,000 cwt. Coffee—The small stock barely affords ample supply for the demand, and prices are what better. Fair 5½ a 6, good 6½ a 6½, choice 7½ a 8½s. Beans—continue in active demand, and lift on the coast. First fine beans are very dull, and no stability in rates. quote from £2 7s 6d to £2 12s 6d to Coves a market. New York \$14 per box, \$53 per cwt. Exchange—London 8 a 9 per cent, New York 3 per cent, Boston 3½ discount. The behaviour of the market is very quiet, and the behaviour

excitement has somewhat subsided, but the bug is very strong on the subject. The corporal sentinel are both on trial, and the evidence of American seamen has been received. The case was called on by the Charleston patriot (arrived,) to the Seamen's Aid Society. I hope it will be well taken care of. The drought still continues; in seven months we had but three small showders of rain. The rice, poultry, and everything else, are exceedingly poor for want of food. Although it is excellent for pork and poultry, the sugar, if it does not soon have rain it will make a very poor difference in the coming crop, as the cane is already

It seems as if the curse of heaven was upon the land and streams parched up—the negroes most terrified—the use of discent—“the government making arrests of the colored people”—with brand, and worse than brand, thousands of seditious publications emanating heaven knows whence, in every hand—the government continues and even increasing their severities and exacting property worse than insecure, valueless; the islands are a prey to the most atrocious robbery and strife, that can only be prevented by prompt and thorough change of measures. Far, that is an independent government, the people not yet prepared for, we had almost said,

NOT IN THE STREET.—On Sunday morning, says Kaine, a drayman, in the employ of Leech & Co., was passing down Fourth street, in the fifth ward, when he was accosted by a man, who introduced himself by the William Penn House name, and who, in a hasty way, from his door directly opposite, was loaded with slugs and grape shot, and four-hundred were taken out of his trunk, and three out of his hands, and the physicians in attendance, Dr. G. C. Smith, One of the balls struck him on each side of the bone, and entering his right arm, cut the radial artery, which bled between three and four quarts; and another ball glanced off his forehead, and the third, a bone, and bounding from thence in a south westerly di-

... Martin has escaped, and so close to his whereabouts has yet to be determined. The police are entertained for the recovery of Kaine, and the police think he cannot live longer than a day or two at the most. The origin of this tragical affair was jealousy. The police officer, Friday, who was in the house was a boarder at his house up to Friday night last, and had reason to suppose that he (Kaine) had illicit intercourse with his wife. This resulted in a quarrel between the parties, and the police officer was driven from the house. But this, it appears, did not appease the Martin, for he was heard to say that nothing but the eye of Kaine would satisfy his revenge. He must be immediately killed, he said. He observed standing in front of his house at a very early hour on Saturday morning looking around him during all the time. Kaine

UPPER AND LOWER CASES.—Martin, a colored man, was arrested; but he was not quick enough. Martin at him almost the moment he saw him. Keiser ran a yards, but fell down, from the loss of blood, on the bridge, and commenced calling for help, so the officers in the boat did not get away. The report of an un and the cries of the man, soon came to his relief procured medical assistance. Martin is a married and has left behind him a wife and three children.—*was not married.*—*Pittsburg Chronicle, April 29.*

ty of New York, and a member of the Legislature. He addressed the address to Lockie, Rice & Hutton, William Smith, and others, *rites to the amount of* hundred dollars. These gentlemen found his *rites* not fit in New York, and had him arrested. It appeared that the *rites* were friendly only to the *rites* from him by certain class of persons calling, by a class of professional gentlemen denominated blacklegs. He was sent before the Criminal Court—*Orleans Republican*, April 23.

TEXAN EXPRESS MESSENGER.—R. C. Murphy, of despatches to the TEXAS GOVERNMENT, arrived here from Washington on Monday last, left for the frontier for the purpose of organizing the volunteer Cavalry, and to be paid to the commander of the Cavalry.

QUEEN VICTORIA.—We observe that Dr. Pollock, of the Attorney General of England, and a physician of high repute, arrived by the Acadia, to attend to the Excellency the Governor General. Our advice state that, in this connection, the origin in the feelings of the Queen towards His Excellency, is a person of such high position, and so much so that Her Majesty makes the expense a gift on the Privy Purse.—*Montreal Herald*, April 30.

ILL. ANOTHER.—A fine beautifully modelled boat of about 200 tons burthen, was launched from the shipyard of Messrs. Ames, Crystal, of this town, yesterday afternoon. The boat is owned by Messrs. Gard and J. L. Gardner, of this place, and is to be with propellers on the plan invented by Ericsson. It is intended to ply between New York and Providence. *R. I. Letter, April 20.*

REMORQUEUR.—At noon yesterday the rare phenomenon of a rainbow was distinctly visible in the heavens.—*Baltimore American, May 1.*

RECALL.—The U. S. brig *Consort*, Lieut. Com. E. A. Taylor, for Norfolk, sailed on 26th instant from Charles

and twenty two ordinary seasons.

SOUTHERN MANUFACTORIES. A spinning and weaving establishment is about being erected at Tallapoosa Falls, near Tallahassee, Ala. The two cities of Montgomery and Tallapoosa have now a capital invested in manufacture, reaching nearly \$200,000.